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Via Electronic Filing

Iowa Utilities Board
Records and Information Center
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Re: Request for Informational Meeting Dates

Ladies and Gentlemen:

MidAmerican Energy Company ("MidAmerican") requests the date of January 19, 2017 to conduct two public informational meetings in Polk County.

The first informational meeting would be to discuss the construction of two 161,000 volt electric transmission lines near Polk City, Iowa. Each of these lines would tap an existing MidAmerican 161 kV line, with one of these lines extending roughly five miles from MidAmerican's existing line to a new MidAmerican substation, and the other line extending roughly four miles from the new substation back to the existing MidAmerican line. MidAmerican proposes that the informational meeting be set for 10:30 a.m. If inclement weather occurs that day and the meeting must be cancelled following the closure of local schools, MidAmerican proposes that the informational meeting be held on January 26, 2017 at 10:30 a.m.

The second informational meeting would be to discuss the construction of a 161,000 volt electric transmission line near Altoona, Iowa. This line would connect two MidAmerican substations and would extend roughly 12 miles. MidAmerican proposes that the informational meeting be set for 3:00 p.m. If inclement weather occurs that day and the meeting must be cancelled following the closure of local schools, MidAmerican proposes that the informational meeting be held on January 26, 2017 at 3:00 p.m.

MidAmerican also requests that docket numbers be assigned to these two projects.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

/s/ Robert P. Jared